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PERSONAL.

Attorney C. W. Dawson has returned from a visit at Philadelphia.

Miss Ada Jackson, of Prescott avenue, is visiting with friends in Factoryville.

Mrs. Edgar Cotrell, Mrs. Cottrell and Miss Nan Cotrell, of Albany, N. Y., are guests of Mrs. A. D. Blackington.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Finley, of Jefferson avenue, have returned from a European trip which proved beneficial and very enjoyable to both.

Mrs. Scott Ingalls, of Madison avenue, left Saturday for New York city, leaving there yesterday for a month's visit at the Bermudas, where her son now is.

WHITE-BELL NUPTIALS.

Ceremony Was Performed at the Bride's Home at Siko.

On Sunday, at 1:30 p. m., Miss Orpha A., daughter of William H. Bell, of Siko, and Charles E. White, of Justus, were united in bonds of matrimony at the home of the bride's parents.

The bride, attired in a brown costume, was ushered in attended by Miss Mary O'Neill and Miss Jessie White, as flower bearers; Minerva C. Bell, sister of the bride, attended her, and Edwin W. Bryant, of Scranton, attended the groom. Miss Agnes O'Neill played the wedding march. Rev. Charles White performed the ceremony, after which a sumptuous repast was served.

Their friends remembered them with many useful presents. The guests were: Mrs. Charles White, of Justus; Rev. and Mrs. Thomas A. Bell, of Preston; Misses Julia and Cora White, of Justus; Mr. Oliver and Miss Jennie Fennell, of Forest city; Mrs. John O'Neill and family, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Ridd, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Kimble, Stephen Baker and family, Mr. and Mrs. White will immediately take up their residence at Justus.

ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION.

Tenth Birthday of the Y. W. C. A. Will Be Observed.

The Young Women's Christian association is "at home" today from 4 until

OPENING DAY IN CRIMINAL COURT

Usual Pleas of Guilty in Jail Cases Are Heard.

A TRIO OF UNSAVORY TRIALS

Kate Boylan Found Guilty of Robbing a Gentleman Friend; John Andrews Tried for Misconduct in Sav Aug Park, and Walter Major for Attempting a Criminal Assault on His Step-Brother's Ten-Year-Old Daughter—Other Cases.

LARGE SUM OF DAMAGES ASKED.

Miss Annie T. Pullis Brings Suit Against Patrick Regan.

Miss Annie T. Pullis is the plaintiff in an action to recover damages brought against Patrick Regan yesterday.

Both reside at Dunmore, and Regan is a saloon keeper.

It is alleged in the declaration that they became acquainted on March 15, 1897, and that on May 10 of the same year Regan proposed marriage and was accepted.

Some time later he wronged her and has since refused to keep his promise and marry her. She claims damages in the sum of \$10,000. The declaration in the case was filed for her by Attorney Nathan Vidaver.

Last week Regan was arrested on a criminal charge preferred by the young woman and was held in jail for his appearance at court.

THREE MARRIAGE CEREMONIES.

Were Performed in the Clerk of the Court's Office.

Three marriages were solemnized in the clerk of the court's office yesterday by Alderman Puller.

The contracting parties were Frank Stanko and Maljorn Pelburk, of Priceburg; Joseph Mark and Katie Ganecek, of Olyphant, and Isaac M. Link and Mrs. Mary Carl, of Scranton.

Joseph Morek and Katie Yanacek have been living together for three years under the impression that some ceremony they went through was a legal marriage. They have a child three years of age. The ceremony that united them was performed at the same time that Frank Stanko and Maljorn Pelburk were married. They are friends.

RODNEY DIVORCE CASE.

Depositions Taken Before Miss Mattie Thomas, Commissioner.

In the divorce case of Josephine E. Rodney and John Rodney, depositions were taken yesterday. The charge is cruel and barbarous treatment, and several witnesses were sworn who testified to the treatment the respondent had given his wife.

The evidence showed that on several occasions he had pursued her from one room to another in their house, trying to strike her, and that other acts of violence had been committed. Vosburg & Dawson are the libellant's attorneys, and the evidence was taken before Miss Mattie Thomas, commissioner.

TEACHERS AT WASHINGTON.

National Educational Association Meets There from July 8 to 12.

Scranton public school teachers will get the benefit of reduced railroad and hotel rates in connection with the meeting of the National Educational Association at Washington, D. C., July 8 to 12.

Superintendent of Schools Howell has informed the principals by letter that the teachers should notify the former at once if they intend to be present at the meeting. They should declare early their intention of going to get reduced rates of transportation and at hotels.

A PECULIAR ACCIDENT.

Horses Hooded Went Through the Wire of a Fender.

A peculiar accident occurred on Adams avenue yesterday morning at 7:30. Electric car 202, Frank Rymer, motor-man, was coming toward the city when a horse that was being driven along the street became excited and pranced around a good deal at the Mulberry street intersection.

During its prancing one of its feet landed in the fender of the car, which had stopped, and went through the wire meshes of the fender to the ground. It was with little difficulty the foot was extricated.

BURGLARS AT GREEN RIDGE.

They Entered the Grocery Store of I. H. Stevens.

The grocery store of I. H. Stevens, at Capouse avenue and Marion street, Green Ridge, was visited by burglars early yesterday morning. They gained an entrance to the building by forcing the door from a rear window.

A quantity of cigars, canned goods, overalls and some small change that was in the money drawer were carried away. There is no clue to the burglars.

LOUIS T. SCHAUTZ INJURED.

Was Thrown from His Bicycle on Wyoming Avenue.

Louis T. Schautz, the superintendent of mails at the postoffice, was quite seriously injured last night by being thrown from his bicycle.

The accident occurred in front of the Traders National bank on Wyoming avenue.

COURT HOUSE NEWS NOTES.

The report of the viewers on the new road in West Abington was confirmed yesterday conditionally.

To fill the vacancy caused by the death of James McDade, Eugene J. McDade was yesterday appointed treasurer of Routhinship.

On motion of Attorney John F. Seragg, court yesterday granted a rule to show cause why South Abington township should not be divided into three election districts.

William Price was yesterday appointed constable of the Third ward of Taylor after showing to the satisfaction of the court that he, and not the incumbent, Edwin Arnold, had been regularly elected at the last election.

They Fit Foo Well.

A man had been up for an examination in Scranton, had failed utterly, and the relations between him and the examiner had become somewhat strained.

The latter asked him if there were any texts in the whole Bible he could quote. He pondered, and then repeated: "And Judas went out and hanged himself."

"Is there any other verse you know in the whole Bible?" the examiner asked. "Yes. 'Go thou and do likewise.'" There was a solemn pause, and the proceedings terminated.

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ANOTHER BREAKER BURNED

The Waddell at Winton a Prey to the Flames.

Dr. J. N. Rice's "Waddell" breaker at Winton, was totally destroyed by fire Sunday morning. The flames broke out at 4 o'clock, supposedly in the chimney in the south the immense structure was a heap of ashes. The loss is about \$10,000, with only \$15,000 insurance.

It was a new and quite modern breaker, having been built about three years ago and purchased last summer by Dr. Rice when he added the Waddell colliery to the holdings of his Riverside Coal company.

The breaker had not been put to use, the coal from the Waddell being taken over the surface to the Riverside breaker to be prepared for market. For the present the head house only will be rebuilt.

There is a suspicion that the fire was of incendiary origin. The fireman who was the only man about the breaker at the time can offer no explanation of the cause, but knows in the flames first appeared breaking through the chimneys.

The Wilson Hose company, of Pockville, went to the scene and succeeded in saving the boiler house and other smaller buildings.

RECEPTION TO BISHOP TALBOT.

Held Last Evening in the Scranton Bicycle Club House.

Bishop Talbot, the recently elected bishop of the Central Pennsylvania diocese of the Protestant Episcopal church, was given a reception last evening in the Scranton Bicycle club house by the rector, Rev. Rogers Israel, warden and vestry of St. Luke's church. It was made as informal as was possible, considering the repute of the chief figure in the affair and the signal honors to be paid him and his office.

From 8 to 11 o'clock a veritable jam of persons of all denominations and of all ages, the invitations extended them through their pastors and the rector of St. Luke's, and called to greet the new prelate.

With Bishop Talbot in the receiving party were Mrs. Talbot, Miss Talbot, and Mrs. E. J. Haughton. They received from a position near the entrance stairway and on the southerly side of the big assembly room. Baptists, Methodists, Catholics, Presbyterians and many other denominations were represented by the clergy as well as the laity, and in large numbers. Fully 1,500 persons called during the evening.

The rector and officers were assisted in arranging the reception by A. D. Halliday, F. L. Brown, F. S. Fook, Mrs. G. L. Dickson, Mrs. L. S. O'Kaff, and Mrs. C. B. Derman. The ushers were: R. J. Foster, N. G. Robertson, W. M. Marple, J. W. Oakford, H. W. Kingsbury, Everett Warren, E. E. Barnard, F. L. Brown, F. S. Fook, Joseph A. M. C. D. Sanderson, Russell Dimmick and R. H. Patterson.

Refreshments were served by Hanley.

Bishop Talbot and his family and the Misses Jermyn lunched with Major and Mrs. Rogers Israel at the Scranton club in the Board of Trade building yesterday noon. The same party, with the addition of Rev. and Mrs. Rogers Israel, were entertained at dinner in the evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Jermyn.

This morning Bishop Talbot will drive about the city. In the afternoon he will personally inspect the various points of church and mission work and in the evening will go to Jermyn.

SCHOOL BOARD FINANCES.

Committee Will Meet Tonight to Make More Reductions.

The finance committee of the board of control will meet this evening and complete its necessary recommendations for the board's 1898 appropriations. When the committee began its work Friday evening the estimated expenditures exceeded the estimated revenues by \$80,000. All but about \$25,000 of the surplus was reduced at that meeting.

The financial reduction will probably be made this evening. The report of the committee will be presented to the board next Monday evening.

Child Study in the Home.

The importance of the early training of children is now generally recognized by intelligent fathers and mothers throughout the land, and it is just as true to day as it ever was that the "child is father to the man." Much interest has been taken in the series of talks given by Miss Underwood on the study of the child in the home. The next lecture or talk on this subject will be given at the residence of Mr. B. L. Fuller, on Jefferson avenue, on Friday afternoon next at 4 o'clock. An admission ticket will be charged. The entire proceeds going to the free kindergarten work.

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OPENING SESSION OF THE PRESBYTERY

Held in Green Ridge Presbyterian Church Last Night.

DR. McLEOD CHOSEN MODERATOR

Rev. M. L. Cook Selected for the Office of Clerk—Sermon Delivered by Rev. William D. Crocker, of Canton, the Retiring Moderator—Subject of His Discourse—Clergymen and Elders Who Were Present Last Night.

At the Green Ridge Presbyterian church last night the opening session of the Lackawanna Presbytery was held. Rev. William D. Crocker, of Canton, the retiring moderator, called the meeting to order and delivered an able sermon on the topic "Christian Verbalism Ideal."

Rev. James McLeod, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian church, was elected moderator, and Rev. M. L. Cook was chosen clerk. The sessions will be held as follows: Morning, 9 o'clock to 12:30 o'clock; afternoon, 2 to 5:30 o'clock; evening, 7:30 o'clock. The following clergymen answered the roll at last night's meeting:

Rev. J. W. Raynor, J. S. Steward, Samuel Murdoch, P. H. Brooks, James McLeod, W. H. Sawtelle, L. W. Church, W. E. Swift, William Norrit, F. Van Krug, C. Colquhoun, M. L. Cook, R. M. Ives, William A. Feecher, R. B. Webster, J. P. Moffat, Alexander Cameron, John Knox, W. F. Gibbons, W. A. Kerrington, W. C. Miley, W. A. Daugherty, S. C. Hodge, W. D. Crockett, R. F. Hammond, W. T. Colquhoun, J. C. Jones, J. S. Craven, F. H. Watkins, W. G. Funk, J. T. Dunn, J. R. Foster, L. D'Anna, S. D. Watterman, D. L. Sutherland, John Kennedy, H. S. Dunning.

Elders from the following churches responded to the roll call: Archibald, Stephen, Carleton, Cantonville, H. H. Major, Duryea, William Reap, Harmony, Andrew Smith, Mountain Top, Receptor Weaver, Montrose, W. H. Jessup, New Milford, H. L. Bradley, Olyphant, M. Grady, Providence, F. S. Morgan, Green Ridge, E. B. Sturges, Sumner avenue, J. Whiteford, Silver Lake, Edward Rose, Shickelony, James Bevans, Troy, Edward Vandiner, Wyalusing, W. H. Kennedy.

INSOLVENCY.

The members of Peter Williamson lodge, No. 322, F. & A. M., are requested to assemble at Masonic hall on Monday, 19th inst., at 1 o'clock p. m., to attend the funeral of Brother Jacob D. Clark. Members of sister lodges and also of the Masonic Veteran association are respectfully invited to attend.

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